

Debutantes Begin Their Gay Season This Week

Round of Entertainments to Be Given in Their Honor—
Society Dances for Charitable Purposes—Weddings
and Engagements—General Notes.



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NOW that the opera has fairly started society on its winter way, the regular season for debutantes will begin this week with a round of afternoon receptions, dinners, theatre parties and dances. There will be so much for the debutantes to do in the course of this winter, which promises to be a strenuous one socially, that some of the mothers have decided to have their daughters' first luncheon parties so that they may be in the theater for afternoon receptions, dinners, the opera or theatre and then a dance.

There will be rather an embarrassment of riches on Tuesday night when there will be at least three dances which will appeal to the charity inclined, but the one afternoon reception of note will be given by Mrs. William Lowe Rice at the Plaza to introduce to society her second daughter, Miss Elise French Rice. There will be the usual dancing that now marks nearly all such receptions, and on December 14 Mrs. Rice will give a ball for her daughter.

Miss Roxana Wentworth Bowen, who will be introduced on Wednesday by her mother, Mrs. Clarence Wentworth Bowen, is a granddaughter of "Long John" Wentworth, who was Mayor of Chicago when the Prince of Wales, afterward King Edward VII., visited that city in 1899. Mrs. Bowen's reception will be followed by a dinner and theatre party.

Other debutantes of Wednesday will be Miss Dorothy Battle, Miss Anne Jessup Woodin and Miss Anna Ballard, for whom her mother, Mrs. George B. Phelps, will give a dance at Sherry's. Thanksgiving Day, the holiday of the week, will as usual be quickly observed. The debutantes of Friday will be the Misses Mildred Sawyer, Ruth Singer, Wealthy Lewis, Constance Peabody, Kathleen Macy, Catharine Childs, Helen and L. K. Porter, for whom will be given the reception afternoon reception. Mrs. Sawyer's will be followed by an informal dinner, a theatre party, a supper and a dance at the Colony Club. Miss Porter will be introduced at her home in Montclair, N. J., and after the reception her mother will give a dance at the Essex County Country Club. A dance will be given for Miss Macy by her mother, Mrs. George H. Macy, on December 19.

Saturday will be devoted to receptions for debutantes. Mrs. Thomas H. Barber will introduce her niece, Miss Elaine Van Rensselaer Townsend, who has been with her in Southampton for the summer and autumn. Mrs. Herbert Van Brock Jaquelin will introduce her daughters by a former marriage, Miss Margaret and Eugene Rand, by giving a reception at the Colony Club with tea and dancing. Mrs. Starr King Walker of 128 East Thirty-eighth street will introduce her daughter, Miss Evelyn Sheldon Walker, who is a grand-

daughter of the late James O. Sheldon. Mrs. Alexander Blair Shaw will give a dance at the Women's Comopolitan Club for her debutante daughter, Miss Barbara Shaw, for whom she will give dances at the club on December 23 and January 4.

Mrs. William H. Hyde will introduce her daughter, Miss Sylvia Hyde, and the only dance of Saturday will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Bradish Johnson at their country place, Woodland, in East Islip, L. I., for their daughter, Miss Marie Gallard Johnson, for whom they will give a reception when they return to their town house. Two dances of special interest to debutantes will be given next week on Tuesday and Friday at Sherry's, when the first Junior Assembly and the first for the season of the Three Sherry Dances will take place.

Several debutantes of this winter have been rehearsing recently for the tableaux dantes which will be given in the ball room of the Ritz-Carlton on the night of November 30. The entire scheme of the entertainment has been evolved by the managers of the Virginia Day Nursery, which institution will be the beneficiary of the occasion. This nursery, one of the oldest of its kind, is in need of funds to carry on its winter work, which is an admirable one, as it looks after infants and small children whose mothers are at work during the day.

An attractive poster has been designed by Mrs. Harry H. Duryea for use in making known the affair. The Misses Constance Peabody, Helen Radely Morgan and Caryll Hackstaff will do a crane dance and also a special fox trot. Miss Margaret Briant will execute a classic autumn dance and Miss Margaret Trevoy, who came out two years ago, will be seen in a Mexican dance.

A Persian dance, for which artistic costumes are being made, will be done by Miss Josephine Wells, Miss Marietta Chapin and Miss Eunice Clapp, whose partners are to be announced later.

Mrs. Louis Du Pont Irving, Jr., will do a pierrot dance and Mrs. E. Roscoe Matthews the Chinese dance known as the ta-lao, and a Russian mazurka will introduce Miss Beatrice Buel and Gerald Onitvia.

The D. Y. N. T. Society announces for the benefit of its settlement work a concert at the Plaza on the afternoon of December 7. Miss Margaret Hawkesworth and Basil Durant, who danced before President Poincaré of France last summer when in Paris, will have a part in the programme. Mrs. Robert Ide, soprano, will sing, and there will be violin solos by Louis Segel.

Among the members and officers of this society are Mrs. Ansel Phelps, Miss Annette B. Boardman, Miss Evelyn White, Mrs. Lowell Lincoln, Jr., Miss Margaret Armstrong, Miss Laura Dudley, Miss Virginia Holmes, Miss Mary Cogden, Miss Emily Scott, Miss Caroline M. Young, Mrs. Nelson B. Burr, Mrs. Franklin S. Henry, Mrs. McEl Livingston and Mrs. Henry S. Satterlee. Tickets may be obtained of Miss Martha Coster at 59 East Eighty-first street.

A small subscription dance will be given at the home of Mrs. Lindsey Hoff, main, Chapin, 11 West Forty-ninth street, to-morrow night for the benefit of the Armstrong League, an organization of young people interested in furthering the industrial education and betterment of the Indian and negro races. Miss Katherine Chapin is president of the league, and some of those interested with her in the object are the Misses Mary Schieffelin, Eva McAdoo and Lois Hall.

There will be general dancing, and among those who will assist as members of the dance committee are the Misses Priscilla Bartlett, Louise Herrick, Dorothy Bull, Eleanor Townsend, Mabel Hinton, Marion Dell Carrere, Louise Dixon and Lillian Tammage, and the Messrs. George T. Brookaw, Peter Conner Bryce, Rex Auchincloss, Paul Chapin, De Courcy Fales, Horace Chapman, Phelps Platt, Edward Blarney, Sidney Henshaw and Mansfield Ferry. Tickets may be obtained of Miss Lois

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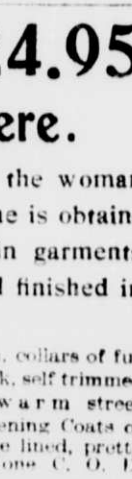
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